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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **David W. Stebbings**Application No: **09/315,102**Group Art Unit: **2131**Filed: **May 20, 1999**Examiner: **Aravind K. Moorthy**For: **MODULATION METHOD FOR MINIMIZING PIRATING AND/OR
UNAUTHORIZED COPYING AND/OR UNAUTHORIZED ACCESS OF/TO
DATA ON/FROM DATA MEDIA INCLUDING COMPACT DISCS AND
DIGITAL VERSATILE DISCS**Attorney Docket No: **110267.111 US1**Honorable Commissioner of Patents
and Trademarks
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**RESPONSE**

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed November 28, 2005, having a response due by April 28, 2006. The following amendments and Remarks are respectfully submitted.

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